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Mark L. Johnson
Executive Director and Secretary
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Re: Docket No. U-190485 – Comments of Avista Utilities

Dear Mr. Johnson,

Avista Corporation, dba Avista Utilities (“Avista” or “Company”), submits the following comments in accordance with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission’s (“Commission”) Notice of Opportunity to Comment (“Notice”) issued in Docket U-190485 on July 17, 2019 regarding the Commission’s “Investigation into Initiating Implementation Processes for Energy Legislation Passed in the 2019 Legislative Session.” Pursuant to the Notice, Avista provides the following comments to the questions posed in the Notice:

1. Will you be attending the July 30 workshop either in-person or telephonically? (Yes/No)

Avista Response: Yes. The following attendees will be present, in-person, on behalf of Avista at the July 30, 2019 workshop: Pat Ehrbar, Linda Gervais-Falkner, Jaime Majure, Bruce Howard, Clint Kalich, and John Rothlin.

2. If you are attending the workshop, will you be providing oral comments? (Yes/No)

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Avista Response: Yes, Avista will be providing oral comments.

3. If you are the member of an organization that has multiple individuals on the Interested Persons list, who will act as the organization's spokesperson at the workshop? (Name of spokesperson)

Avista Response: Linda Gervais-Falkner will be the spokesperson representing Avista.

Avista appreciates the opportunity to provide these comments and we look forward to participating in the workshop scheduled on July 30, 2019. Please direct any questions regarding these comments to me at 509-495-4975.

Sincerely,

/s/Linda Gervais

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